LOCAL MENTION.

AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT.

Academy-"Fighting Fate," 8:15 p.m. Belasco-Odette Tyler in "The Jilt," 8:15 Chase's-The Ten Broomstick Witches and

polite vaudeville, 8:15 p.m. Columbia-Guy Standing in "The Duke of Killiterankle," 8:15 p.m. Kernan's-Tom Miner's Bohemian Bur-

Majestic-"The Air Ship," 8:15 p.m. National-The Embarrassment of

Riches," 8:15 p.m. Star Theater, 10th street and Pennsylvania avenue northwest-Moving pictures, concerts.

EXCURSIONS TOMORROW.

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Thomas R. Suter, forty-five years of age. living at 907 E street northwest, was thrown from his buggy when his horse ran away near 20th and B streets yesterday after-noon. He received a slight injury to his foot and was taken to the Emergency Hos-

A Business Change.

Dr. Carleton Vaughan, formerly of 310 East Capitol st., has purchased the dental offices at 1012 F st. n.w., and will continue same as a private dental practice. Vaughan has practiced in Washington for ness by a method of best work at very rea-

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A colored man named James Johnson was beated at the Emergency Hospital yester-day afternoon for an injury to his shoulder, naused by a piece of lumber falling upon him, Johnson's home is on F street southwest and he was working on Riley's wharf when the accident occurred. His injury is not serious.

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CITY AND DISTRICT.

George W. Creamer, who lives at 706 East Oak street, Louisville, Ky., was taken suddenly sick yesterday afternoon while in the vicinity of Pennsylvania avenue and 10th street northwest. He was given treatment at the Emergency Hospital.

Mrs. Mary Chapman, fifty-six years of age, living at 309 12th street northwest, struck her head against an awning pole while crossing the street at 7th and G streets northwest yesterday afternoon, receiving a painful injury. She was removed to the Emergency Hospital in the ambulance and given treatment.

James Hutchinson, sixty-eight years of age, whose home is at 1242 lith street southeast, called upon the police at the fifth precinct station last night about 8 o'clock and reported that he was suffering from an attack of rheumatism. He wanted hospital treatment and the police took him to the Washington Asylum Hospital.

A slight blaze occurred in the chimney at the house of Albert King, 143 Washington street, Anacostia, yesterday afternoon. No. 15 engine company went to the house and extinguished the blaze before any damage had been caused.

Policeman J. H. Boswell of the sixth pre clinct was taken sick this morning about \$8:45 o'clock while in the police station. He suffered an attack of cramps and was taken to the Casualty Hospital, where he

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Miss Gordon Elected a Delegate.

At a meeting of the Woman's Auiliary to Columbia Typographical Union last evening Miss Laura Gordon was elected delegate to the international convention to be held at Colorado Springs next August during the week the union printers hold their annual meeting. There were but two candidates-Mrs. McCormick and Miss Gordon. Miss Gordon was the first president of the local auxiliary.

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Department Council, W. R. C. At a recent meeting of the Department Council, W. R. C., held at the residence of the department president, the following members were present: Department President Vina M Calhoun, Junior Vice Presi-dent Julia West Hamilton, Treasurer Ger-trude Morgan, Chaplain Marian Lewis, Sec-retary Sue M Carey, Patriotic Instructor Olive Raymond, Inspector Eliza P. Walson, Press Correspondent Mary L. Ricker, and Nannie G. Davis, chairman; Mary V. Noerr Alice Cooley, Annie E. Cromwell and Hester A. Wyman of the executive committee. Arrangements for Memorial day were dis-cussed and other matters considered.

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Larceny From the United States. A verdict of guilty of larceny from the United States was returned late yesterday afternoon by a jury in Criminal Court No. 1 in the case of John Wilkinson, under an indictment charging the larceny of seven platinum crucibles from the navy yard. Wilkinson was defended by Attorney James B. McLaughlin, and Assistant United States Attorney Turner appeared for the govern-ment. The defendant was formerly em-

MAKERS AND DEALERS

PIANO MEN TO MEET HERE WITHIN A WEEK.

Plano manufacturers from all over the country will take possession of Washington at the end of this week, and Friday and Saturday there will be more melody makers gathered under the roof of the New Willard than the city has ever seen before. There are two big organizations interested in the meetings-the National Manufacturers' Association and the National Associa-

tion of Dealers. The first represents the men who make the instruments and the second those who dispose of them to the public. The object of the gathering will be to put the whole of the music dealing trade on a higher plane than it has ever occupied before, to insure honest representation and legitimate dealing and to improve the technical value of the instruments dealt in.

The meeting of the manufacturers will be alled to order in the small ball room of the hotel at 10 o'clock Friday morning.

will be two sessions a day Friday and Sat-urday, and Saturday evening there will be a reception and ball at the hotel, to be followed by a concert, at which the manufacturers and their guests will be present.

Monday the meeting of the dealers ommence, and will continue most of the Many of the manufacturers will stay over for this meeting, and will be present at the White House at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday, when the two conventions will welcomed by the President. Arrangements have been made for a number of trips about the city and into the sub

urbs, so that the visitors will get a good idea of the capital, and quite elaborate visions have been made for the entertainmeat of the members during their stay.

ALTAR CONSECRATION.

Ceremony to Occur Tomorrow Morn-

ing at St. Patrick's Church. A service of consecration has been announced to take place at St. Patrick's Roman Catholic Church, Rev. Dr. D. J. Stafford, paster, tomerrow morning, when the consecrated by Right Rev. A. A. Curtis, vicar general to Cardinal Gibbons, archbishop of the local Catholic diocese. The details in connection with the ceremony have not been completed, but the consecration of the altar, which is a long and particularly symbolic ceremony, will begin at 8 o'clock, to be followed by a solemn high mass, which will be selemnized by Bishop Curtis. Dr. Stafford, the pastor, the clergy of St. Patrick's rectory and a number from the Holy Cross College, Brookland, will assist. Friday morning this ceremony of con-secration will be duplicated in the chapel of St. Vincent's Orphan Asylum, Edgewood,

The altar is raised on a platform to recall Calvary, the site of the wonderful sacrifice of Christ, with a marble slab resting on supports to recall the table of the Cenacle at which Christ instituted the sacraments. On the table of the altar are carved five crosses, which represent the five wounds Savior. A cross in the center represents Christ, and crosses on each corner of the table represent the four corners of the world, for which the sacrifice on Calvary

PROFESSOR OF PHILOSOPHY.

Dr. Turner Appointed to University Faculty.

Dr. William Turner, temporary pastor of St. Luke's Church, St. Paul, Minn., and for the last ten years a member of the faculty of the St. Paul Seminary, has been appointed professor of philosophy at the Catholic University of America in this city. A native of Limerick, Ireland, William Turner studied at the Jesuit College in his native city. He then entered the Royal University at Dublin, where he was graduated in his seventeenth year. Significantly, he took second honors then with a thesis on "Philosophy.

At Rome, whither he went to pursue his studies of theology and philosophy, he gained the Benermerenti medal, given for proficiency in his favorite study. He completed his studies in Paris at the Sorbonne. Twelve years ago Dr. Turner came to St. Paul, having accepted an appointment as professor of philosophy at the St. Paul Seminary. A few years later he published his "History of Philosophy," a work so lucid, thorough and impartial that it has been adopted as a text-book by all the Catholic colleges in the United States and by many non-Catholic institutions. Translated into French and Italian, the book is

much studied abroad, especially in the universities at Rome. Dr. Turner went to Germany in 1904. He devoted himself there to the study of old manuscripts, with a view of writing a treatise upon medieval philosophy. It was after his recent return home that he was placed in temporary charge of St. Luke's. Dr. Turner will assume his new duties

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Rechabite Visitation.

The High Tent officers of the Independent Order of Rechabites were greeted by fortynine members of the order at Golden Rule Tent, No. 1084, Monday evening, visitors being present from Harmony Tent, No. 1020; Advance Tent, No. 1009; Laurel Tent, No. 1101; John B. Henderson Tent, No. 1089; On-ward Tent, No. 1021; Eastern Tent, No. 35; Eagle Tent. No. 2: Jehu Tent. No. 22: Purity Tent, No. 4, and Wreath Tent, No.

The High Tent officers, who attended, were as follows: Past High Chief Ruler John C. Moore, High Chief Ruler Wayne W. Cordell, Acting High Deputy Ruler George W. Rue, Acting High Chaplain Arthur S. Woodland, Acting High Secretary James H. Dony, Acting High Financial Secretary and Treasurer John R. Mahoney, Acting High Levite Miss Emily Shoemaker and Acting High Guard Simon D. Tennyson. Mr. Moore instructed the tent in the private work, and he and the other High Tent officers compliments the tent as well as discussed the different phases of the temperance work. Thomas F. Monahan, N. E. Vowles, John T. Mackabee, Col. J. C. Lee, Charles Williams and N. C. Bradley also spoke, after which a committee of ladies served refreshments. It was announced that the next visitation

would be for men only at Union Tent, No. 87, 623 Louisiana avenue northwest, tomor-

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Early Church History.

Rev. Thomas E. McGulgan, assistant pastor of St. Patrick's Roman Catholic Church, delivered a lecture last evening in the New Carroll Hall. G street between 9th and 10th streets northwest, on "The Early Church History." An appreciative audience was in attendance, and at the close of the lecture there was discussion of the ground that had been gone over by Father McGuigan. The lecture last night was one of a series of free lectures for the people that Father Mc-Guigan is giving. They are designed espe-cially for Sunday school associate teachers.

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Foundry Church Epworth League. The Epworth League of Foundry Methodist Episcopal Church held its annual meeting and election of officers Monday evening. Mr. Stacy H. Briant was re-elected president. Other members of the cabinet were elected as follows: First vice president, Mr. Louis D. Burling: second vice president,
Miss Bertha Gould: third vice president,
Miss Winifred King: fourth vice president,
Miss Katle Young: secretary, Mr. E. L.
Finch, and treasurer, Mr. Robert Tracey.
Those present pledged themselves to raise
\$142.50 toward the support of the league in

THE THEATER.

"Lord and Lady Algy."

The third week of the spring and summer season at the Columbia will open next Monday evening with a revival of R. C. Carton's amusing comedy of manners, "Lord and Lady Aigy," by the Columbia Theater company. This is one of the most successful comedies of the past decade. Messrs. Luckett and Standing have arranged to make next week's presentation a notable one, and have engaged Mr. W. H. Crompton, considered one of the finest actors of the old school, to reappear in the role of the Duke of Dronebrough, which he creat-ed when "Lord and Lady Algy" was orig-inally produced. Mr. Guy Standing created the part of the Marquis of Quarmby in the original American production, and Frank Brownlee, who is staging the plays at the Columbia, also appeared in the original production.

"The Red Carnation."

"The Red Carnation," a romantic play of the time of the French revolution, by Elizabeth Lee Shepherd, will be the presentation of the Odette Tyler company at the Belasco next week. This play is said to combine a strong love story with thrilling situations. It was produced in New York last spring and scored a success. It was intended as a starring vehicle for Miss Tyler and R. D. MacLean, but another engagement prevented the consummation of this plan. Mr. MacLean has been engaged for the leading role of Jacques Du Bois for next week's performance. Miss Tyler will play her first serious role of the Wash-ington engagement, that of Elizabeth Du Bois. Wilson Meirose, Fuller Mellish, Robert S. Taber, Guy Coombs, Harold Salter, Priestly Morrison, Blanche Stoddard, Mrs. West, Ann Butterfield and Inez Plummer will have prominent parts.

"The Great Jewel Mystery."

The attraction next week at the Academy will be the Russell Brothers presenting a melodrama entitled "The Great Jewel Mystery." These clever performers many years were headliners in vaudeville, but they have assumed more serious work and are new beautiful high altar in this church will be at the head of an organization of twenty players. The plot of the play is recognized to be a dramatic version of a sensational robbery which really occurred not long ago The stars play the roles of amateur tives and finally bag a bunch of daring

Kitty Traney, Equestrienne.

The leading feature of the closing bill at Chase's next week will be the European equestrienna novelty, Kitty Traney, who is said to offer an act full of agreeable surprises. Other features will be John Thorne and Grace Carleton in a comedy sketch, Harry Atkinson, musical mimic; Les Remos, six French pantomimists in "The Modern Burglars;" Roattino and Stevens in "Scenes in the Wistaria Bower," the St. Onge Brothers, Johnny Johns, blackface comedian, and the American vitagraph com-

"Yankee Doodle Girls."

The "Yankee Doodle Girls" will be at the Lyceum Theater for the coming week. The opening burlesque will be "The Misfitable Insurance Company," and the closing skit is called "A Trip to the Hippodrome." Among the olio acts are Murphy and Magee, Etta Victoria, Guhl and Yale, Schoenwerk, Fox and Duball, Sadie Husted and the Five Baker troupe in their act of "looping the gap."

Ben Greet's Company. On Friday and Saturday, May 18 and 19, Ben Greet's English company will be seen in four open-air plays at Woodley Park corner of Woodley lane and Connecticut avenue. "The Tempest" will be given Fribenefit of the Cathedral Close. "A Midsummer Night's Dream" will be given Friday and Saturday evenings, while "As You Like It" will be given at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The performances of Friday evening and Saturday afternoon and evening will be for the benefit of the Smith

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Grocery Store Damaged by Fire. The grocery store of Samuel A. Schneider, 1241 7th street northwest, was damaged by fire this morning about 6:30 o'clock. An alarm was turned in which summoned several companies of the fire department to the scene of the fire and the blaze was soon under control. The fire started from some cause which could not be determined and damaged the stock to the amount of about \$250. About \$100 damage was caused to the building.

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Advertisement. Lineal Society to Meet.

Special exercises will be held this evening at a meeting of Columbia Temple of the Lineal Society of the Spanish War, to be held at Spanish War Veterans' Hall, 719 6th street northwest. This organization is composed of the wives, mothers, daughters and sisters of soldiers of the war with

Spain. At the conclusion of the services the temple will attend the open meeting of the 4th Immune Camp, U. S. W. V., which will be held this evening in another hall in the same building. Mrs. Eliza V. Hodgson, the newly elected supreme commander of the Lineals, is expected to be present.

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Complimentary Meeting Planned. An open meeting, complimentary to the members and friends of Eagle Tent No. 2, Independent Order of Rechabites, with several surprise features and a program of literary and musical events, has been planned for tomorrow evening at Rechabite Hall, 304 B street southeast. A feature of the evening will be the presenta-tion of the Rechabite emblem picture to the tent that has received the most votes.

One of the most essential features of a good library is proper classification. The Classified Advertising Page of The Star is great library of the people's wants.

Condition Improving. The condition of Miss Ione M. Ingalls, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Ingalls, who has been seriously ill at the residence of her parents, 1224 13th strets northwest, for the past four weeks is somewhat im-proved and hopes are entertained for her early recovery. Miss Ingalls is a pupil at McKinley Training School.

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SUFFRAGE FOR THE DISTRICT.

Meeting. A permanent organization was perfected and officers were elected last evening by the Suffrage League of the District of Columbia, which has for its object the securing of a right to vote by the people of the District. A mass meeting was held in Costello's Hall, corner of 6th and G street north-

west, about fifty persons being in attendance. Mr. John B. Colpois acted as the temporary chairman of the meeting and Mr. S. J. Howell recorded the minutes. The officers elected follow: President, Jesse B. Wilson; first vice president, John B. Colpois; second vice president, Josiah Millard; third vice president, Frank K. Raymond; fourth vice president, J. G. Bishop; fifth vice president, T. L. Lee; sixth vice president, Moses Peyton; treasurer, Jeremiah F. McCarthy; secretary, S. J. Howell; financial secretary, Joseph Atwood; sergeant-at-arms, E. S. Sinclair; executive council, E. J. Roche (chairman), Dr. Rob-

ert Reyburn, D. F. Manning, W. C. Little,

S. J. Howell, Herman Schulties, Samuel DeNedrey.

The outline of the campaign which the organization means to wage to convince Congress that the people of the District should be accorded the right to vote for local officials, has not been drawn. The or-ganization will first be perfected. A meeting of the executive council is to be held in e near future, at which a constitution will be drafted and suggestions for annual or monthly dues, regular meetings, commit-

tees, etc., made. Much of the time of the last meeting was devoted to a discussion of whether or not to postpone the election of officers of the league until a future meeting, when a more representative attendance could be secured. The debate was spirited at times. It was finally decided that the sooner the movement was put on a permanent and substantial basis by the election of officers and the adoption of a constitution the better the campaign could be conducted. E. J. Roche, Jeremiah McCarthy, J. B. McLaugh-lin, Dr. T. L. Lee, Herman Schulties, Josiah Millard and Samuel DeNedrey were among those who participated in the discus-

islative committee, reported that a request was made of the House District committee for a hearing on the Keifer suffrage bill, which was introduced at the request of the organization. It was added by Dr. Reyourn that he received a letter in reply, but it was very non-committal as to a hearing. Several suggestions as to the methods of conducting the suffrage campaign were made. One speaker suggested that the members of the league visit the various representative organizations of the District and talk suffrage to their members. Another thought that all labor organizations throughout the country should be asked to take up the movement and send petitions to their respective representatives in Congress to vote for suffrage for the District,

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HOLD ANNUAL ELECTION.

The Knights of Columbus Under New Leaders. A convention of the Knights of Columbus of the local jurisdiction, comprising the District of Columbia, was held yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the Knights of Columbus Temple, 606 E street northwest. Reports were submitted and the election of officers held. The gathering is said to

have been a satisfactory one in every

sense. The reports read at the convention showed the order to be in a flourishing condition. Its growth during the past year, it is said, has been extremely gratifying, while the finances of the order are reported to be in day afternoon. May 18, at 4 o'clock for the | an encouraging state. Following the routine business the election of officers was held, which resulted as follows: Francis J. Sheehy of Spalding Council, state deputy; William A. Johnson of Spalding Council, deputy state deputy; William Duvall of Keane Council, state treasurer; Charles W. Boyle of Carroll Council, state advocate; William L. Fleischel of Carrol Council, state warden; Rev. P. J. O'Connell, pastor of St. Vincent de Paul Church and a mem-ber of Washington Council, state chaplain. The state deputy and past state deputy, by right of their office, attend the national convention of the order in an official capacity, and yesterday alternates were elected for these officers as follows: William H. Callahan, past grand knight of Keane Council, alternate to the state deputy; Patrick J. Haltigan, grand knight of Carrol Council, alternate to the past state

> The local Knights of Columbus had recently a large increase in membership. Monday evening a third degree initiation was held at the temple on E street, when 100 members are sa'd to have been added to the order's roster. Mr. Francis P. Sheehy, state deputy, gave the degree, as-sisted by a picked degree team. This meeting was very largely attended.

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Your guests will like it. Druggists.-Advt. Keeping Disorderly House. In a raid on the house of Roland Haw-

kins, 416 Bland's alley northwest, last night, Hawkins was arrested and a charge of keeping a disorderly house was entered against him. He was taken to the Police Court yesterday. Judge Kimball ordered that he change his residence to the District jail for the next thirty days in default of a fine of \$15.

The Bates-Coues Sale. Tomorrow at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. at Sloan's, 1407 G st.—Advt.

Boy Injured.

Charles Herbst, nine years of age, whose parents live at 1114 7th street northwest, was taken to the Emergency Hospital last night and treated for a slight concussion of the brain and injuries to his left side and head. It was stated to the police that Herbst and another boy were playing on shed in rear of the home of the Herbst family and that young Herbst was pushed from the shed. The hospital physicians think the boy will recover.



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SALE OF PROPERTY.

Builder.

A portion of the Rhees tract containing 52,000 square feet, and fronting two squares on 14th street extended, was sold yesterday by Stone & Fairfax to Harry Wardman, the builder, The transaction is rethe development of that section of the city. The consideration was a trifle more than \$33,000, the basis being a purchase price of 65 cents a square foot. Located about three squares north of the terminus of the 14th street car line, the plot of ground contains twenty lots of the Rhees property. Beginning at Spring road, it extends 444½ feet north on the east side of 14th street. On the east is a wide public alley. The average depth of the property is 121 feet and it has a frontage of 121

feet on Spring street.

Mr. Wardman will erect a number of residences with modern improvements on the tract, which will have street car facilities upon the completion of the exten-sion of the 14th street line now in progress. The Rhees homestead formerly oc-cupled what is now the extension of 14th street, and it was necessary to move the building a considerable distance to tho west when the street was opened.

PUBLIC SCHOOL FESTIVAL.

Program of Wide Range, Including Several Classics.

Preparations for the public school May festival are almost completed, one of the last and most satisfactory rehearsals having been held at the Central High School yesterday afternoon.

Saturday evenings of this week at 8 o'clock, in Convention Hall, with the Marine Band in attendance. Although only the seventh and eighth grades have been selected to sing, the May festival, which is now being held for the second time, is the one theme of interest among the fifty thousand pupils of the schools. Through the untiring efforts of Miss Alys Bentley, director of music, assisted by an efficient Dr. Robert Revburn, chairman of the legcorps of teachers, practice has been carried on during the winter throughout the District schools in the seventh and eighth grades, and recently the entire body of six or seven hundred selected voices have been brought together for final drill. So thorough has been the teaching and so complete the mastery of the score that the entire program is sung without the aid of sheet music, the eyes of every singer being upon the director to follow every indication of shading. Miss Bentley has been assisted in the training of the young singers by Mrs. Byram and Mr. Hoover, the latter at the piano.

The program is one of wide range, including several of the musical classics, as well as songs of patriotism, lullables, and spring songs. Among the selections will be "Hark, Hark the Lark," by Schubert; be "Hark, Hark the Lark," by Schubert; "The Bridal Chorus," from Lohengrin; a "Larghetto" from Beethoven's Symphony, arranged by Edgar Stillman Keeley; Handel's "Holy, Holy," and "My Heart's in the Highlands," by Jansen. Some of the songs of a lighter character will be Vogel's "Spring Song,"
"The Starry Night," by Tippett, "My Nannie's Voice," Loomis; "Wind of the Sea," nie's Voice," Loomis; "Wind of the S by Clayton Johns, and "Fairy Lullaby, Mrs. Beach. The patriotic songs will include "Tenting Tonight" and "Dixie." The last mentioned, which was sung in the first festival, was not originally included in this year's program, but Bently was finally forced to yield to repeated requests for its repetition.

Another Drop in Butter Prices. 5-lb. boxes "Four Leaf Clover" Butter. \$1.40. James F. Oyster, 9th and Pa. ave. Advertisement.

A Good Catch.

A party from the census bureau, comprising Mr. Ward, Mr. Nelson, Mr. Mc-Cann and Mr. Koehl had a fine day's sport Saturday, catching about 300 white perch, many weighing a pound, near the Three Sister islands in Georgetown.

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Wagon and Car Damaged. A wagon belonging to A. N. Hazen & Co., was struck by a street car at Vermont avenue and H street last night about 8:30 o'clock and considerable damage caused. Harry Lewis, colored, had charge of the team, but he escaped injury. The wagon and car were damaged to the amount of

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Temperance Union was held yesterday afternoon in the Friends' Church, corner of 13th and Irving streets. Mrs. Don P. garded as having an important bearing on Blaine, the district organizer, through whose efforts the new union has been formed, presided at the meeting and read the constitution. Mrs. Lindley D. Clark led the devotions. The new union has a membership of forty.

WHITE RIBBONERS ORGANIZE.

two and is largely composed of ladies from the four neighboring churches-Calvary M. E., Congregational, Fourth Presbyterian and Friends'. It was decided to hold the monthly business meetings of the union in these churches in turn the second Tuesday evening of each month.

The election of officers resulted in the selection of Mrs. M. A. Tindall, president; Mrs. Lindley D. Clark, vice president at large, and the following vice presidents from the different churches: Mrs. Albert Osborn, Calvary M. E.; Mrs. A. B. Carty. Congregational; Mrs. J. E. Hiatt, Friends' Mrs. Hunt. Fourth Presbyterian, and Miss Lillie Hathaway, Emanuel Baptist. Mrs. R. B. Hitchcock was elected correspond-ing secretary and Mrs. H. V. Easterling re-The Sunday school temperance work was put in charge of Mrs. R. A. Dellett, and the flower mission department was delegated to Mrs. J. H. Myers.

Deepening Water for Steamer. In order to accommodate the big side wheel steamer St. John in the dock at the The concert will be given Friday and river line pier at the foot of 7th street the water in the dock is to be deepened to depth of ten feet at low water, and it is understood that the work will be started tomorrow. Plans have been prepared for rebuilding of the excursion line office of the new Washington and Potomac Steamboat Company at the River View Line pier.

CITY ITEMS.

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The police of the eighth precinct took Robert Smith, colored, forty-nine years of age, to Freedmen's Hospital yesterday afternoon to be treated for a cut over his left eye. The wounded man, whose home been cut by another colored man while in an alley near 14th and T streets. Smith told the police that he would procure a warrant for his alleged assailant

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